

REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2006, having a shortened statutory period set to expire August 9, 2006. Claims 1-28 are pending. Applicants have amended Claims 1, 2, 11 and 19. No new matter has been entered by these amendments.

Claim Objections

In the present Office Action, Claim 1 has been objected to because of informalities. Claim 1 has been amended to correct the informalities and Applicants believe that the objection has been overcome.

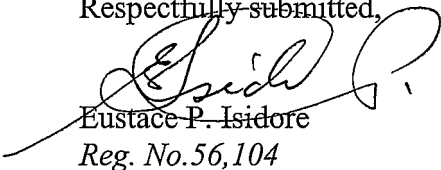
Claims Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 112

In the present Office Action, Claims 1-28 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. Applicants have amended the claims to remove the errors found therein. The amendments overcome the §112 rejection, and Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection in light of the amendments.

Allowable Subject Matter

In the present Office Action, the Examiner states that Claims 1-28 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the objection(s) and the rejection(s) under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. Accordingly, Applicants have amended the claims to overcome the objection(s) and rejection(s). The amendments to the claims places all claims in condition for allowance

Respectfully submitted,



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